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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Several witnesses for the State testified yesterday in the McCue murder trial. —— Martial law continues at Berkley, Va. —— The position of the Japanese and Russian armies is unchanged; it is impossible to tell which will make the first move. —— Russia asks the consent of the powers for her Black Sea fleet to pass the Dardanelles. —— Judge Parker, it is announced, will make three speeches in three States. —— Grover Cleveland will speak in New York city November 2nd. —— County Treasurer Chase, of Meigge county, Ohio., is charged with embezzlement of $14,500. —— Russian warships which fired upon the British fishermen, put in at Vigo, Spain; officers in command declare that they thought the vessels were Japanese torpedo boats. —— C. D. Burnett shot and killed Young Daniel at Winder, Ga. —— John Hay, Secretary of State, addressed a large Republican meeting in New York city last night. —— There is great activity in British naval circles; the Russian reply to the British note regarding the North Sea incident is not altogether satisfactory; the public feeling in England continues inflamed. —— New York markets: Money on call steady at 1½@2½ per cent; cotton was quiet at 10.05c; flour was moderately active at firm prices; wheat—spot easy, No. 2 red, $1.18½; corn—spot firm, No. 2, 60½c.; oats—spot quiet, mixed 34½@35½c.; rosin steady; strained common to good, $3.87½@2.90; spirits turpentine steady.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Dep't of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 26.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 61 degrees, 8 P. M., 62 degrees; maximum, 76 degrees; minimum, 56 degrees; mean, 66 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .07; rainfall since first of the month to date, 1.25 inches.

Stage of water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., 4.2 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Heavy rains have again fallen in Texas, and there have been showers in most of the other districts. Temperatures have risen in the eastern and fallen in the western portions of the belt. Raining at Charlotte, Greensboro and Raleigh.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 26.—For North Carolina: Fair and cooler Thursday, Friday fair, light northwest winds.

Port Almanac---October 27.

Sun Rises	6.17 A. M.
Sun Sets	5.10 P. M.
Day's Length	10 H. 53 M.
High Water at Southport	9.27 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington	11.57 A. M.

Wonder if the Republicans still consider Judge Parker a sphinx?

It will be a sad day for the South if Roosevelt triumphs on the 8th of November.

General Miles is against Roosevelt. We now see no reason why the South should not forgive the general just a little bit.

The Republican paper offers of bets at big odds on Roosevelt constitute a lot of hot air that will turn to frost on the morning of November 8th.

We don't love old Uncle Joe any more! He's the meanest spellbinder that's been on the pike; He's a narrow, vindictive old bore, And our back yard has no open door for his like!

Who paid the cable toll for the reply of Gen. Luke Wright to Judge Parker's Philippine speech? The Republican party or the people of the United States? All it cost was $700.00.

Secretary Taft in one of his speeches said Roosevelt's letter of acceptance is "a model of succinctness." We let it all pass as to the succinctness," as the model was short on statescraft.

The Baltimore Sun asks: "Is the Russian autrocracy riding to a fall?" It's got a pretty good move on it—but this is our busy day hoping that the one at Washington will be the first to jar itself in a hard tumble.

We have prosperity now till we are hardly able to buy grub and cut any ice in the style of clothes we wear. We know where the blame lies and we are going to take it out on Roosevelt, who stuck the daubing to a Spaniard "when they turned to run."

Earthquakes were reported a few days ago from northern Erope. If the theories of seismologists fail to explain the disturbance, it might be borne in mind that the G. O. P. elephant was brought down with a "dull thud" in New York last Friday night when the Hon. G. Cleveland was the man behind the gun.

It is costing Germany $40,000,000 to suppress the insurrection of the black men in her southwestern African colonies. That's a pretty costly coon hunt, but Germany is only doing to the Africans what we did to the Filipinos. Roosevelt can't say a word. He has already declined to "mess" with the manner in which Belgium handles the Africans in the Congo Free State. He is a friend of the Negro—in America.

Peter's Milk Chocolate. Best eating chocolate. E. Warren & Son. †

LOCAL DOTS.

— See advertisement in Business Locals department of boy wanted.

— Only one trifling matter engaged the attention of the Mayor in the police court yesterday.

— The Sorosis Rummage Sale opened yesterday morning at VanAmringe's auction rooms. The sales were encouraging.

— Fall shipments of lettuce are now being made to the North. The yield this season is said to be very good and the quality fine.

— The Atlantic Coast Line, the Seaboard Air Line and the Southern Railway will put on their special tourist trains about January 15th.

—Announcement is made of the forthcoming marriage of Miss Katie Wood, daughter of Mrs. Mary J. Wood, and Mr. Jarvis D. Mills, all of this city.

— Attention is called to the announcement of Dr. J. W. Kilber, Osteopathist, which should have appeared yesterday, but was unintentionally omitted.

— Four negroes, three of whom have smallpox and the other is held as a suspect, are quarantined at the pest house. The house from which they were removed, in Brooks' alley, was fumigated yesterday.

— Schooner "Young Brothers" arrived yesterday from Perth Amboy with cargo of coal for J. A. Springer & Co. British steamer "Belgate" sailed for Liverpool with cargo of 12,011 bales of cotton, consigned by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Sons.

— By deeds filed for record yesterday Mrs. Mary Ann Chadbourn transferred to Thos. H. Wright property on north side of Grace, 112 feet west of Dickinson street, and Thos. H. Wright transferred the same property to Norwood Giles by deed of subsequent date.

RECEIVER FOR BOAT COMPANY.

Troubles of Steamer City of Fayetteville Are in the Federal Court.

Messrs. A. A. Lisman, of New York, and S. H. MacRae, of Fayetteville, have filed a bill in equity in the United States Court at Raleigh entitled "John T. Jacobs vs. The Fayetteville and Wilmington Steamboat Co.," owners and operators of the steamer "City of Fayetteville."

The bill, according to the Raleigh News and Observer, is one in admiralty. It sets forth that the company is insolvent; that it is burdened with a large morigage; that there are conflicting liens upon its property besides many inchoate liens—that is debts which are capable of being made liens; that the plaintiff Jacobs is a creditor of the company in a sum between three and four thousand dollars, for which debt —contracted for construction and repairs on the company's boat—he has an admiralty lien; that in order to protect the interest of all creditors he asks the court to appoint a receiver to take charge of and administer and sell the property for the benefit of all concerned, electing to take this course rather than to proceed to enforce his lien against the property, which would create confusion and loss both to himself and creditors.

State Deputy Has Returned.

Mr. J. D. Nutt, State Deputy Grand Chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, has returned from a very pleasant and profitable trip through Western North Carolina in the interest of the order. He visited a large number of lodges that were bordering upon dissolution, revived all of them and laid the foundations for new ones that will develop later. He is making a most energetic and successful campaign of the State and the results will be evident at the next Grand Lodge meeting. Grand Chancellor Robertson chose wisely when Dr. Nutt was named as his deputy.

Funeral of Mrs. Jacobs.

In the presence of a large assemblage of friends at Grace M. E. Church at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, impressive funeral services were conducted by the Rev. N. M. Watson over the remains of the late Mrs. Julia Adaline Jacobs. The floral tributes were numerous and very handsome. The pall-bearers were: Honorary, Dr. W. J. Love, Dr. Jas. E. Kea, Mr. R. J. Jones and Mr. A. G. Hankins; active, Messrs. T. H. Thompson, Harry Hill, J. Hicks Bunting, W. W. Hodges, T. R. Post and H. M. Foard.

Wilmington Grocery Company.

The Wilmington Grocery Company will move about Nov. 1st to the stores formerly occupied by Messrs. J. E. Willson and J. B. Huggins, on the north side of Market street, in the old Masonic Temple building. The two store rooms have been thrown into one and the place is undergoing extensive repairs and remodeling.

Moved to Charlotte.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer says: "W. C. Thomas & Co., of Cronly, have leased the old Dowd & King Supply Company building at the corner of Seventh street and the railroad, which will be used as a mattress factory. The firm will move in and go to work this week."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. W. Sanders—The Siwasa.
Carpenter Grocery—Ladies' store.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Truck Farmer—Wants position. J. W. Kilber, D O.—Osteopathy.

AUTUMN WEDDINGS.

Marriages on Yesterday in Which Many Wilmington Friends Are Interested.

IN CHURCH AND AT HOME.

Mr. Butler Weds Miss Black at Red Springs; Mr. Player and Miss Ferrell at Clinton, and Two Wilmington Ceremonies.

The auditorium of the Southern Presbyterian College, at Red Springs, N. C., was the scene of a beautiful wedding Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock, the parties to the solemn marriage vow being Miss Isabel Black, the attractive young daughter of Capt. A. D. Black, formerly of Wilmington, but now of Red Springs, and Mr. William Gladstone Butler, formerly of Richmond, Va., but now a member of the firm of A. D. Black & Co., of Red Springs. The auditorium was tastefully decorated with potted plants, native smilax and other evergreens. The wedding marches were delightfully rendered by Mrs. Laura B. Short, and Miss Johnnie Bason, of Charlotte, played with charming effect a violin solo during the service. The bride's costume was a beautiful creation of champagne poplin with black picture hat. She carrried an exquisite bouquet of bride's roses. The maid of honor, Miss Mary Black, a sister of the bride, was gowned in pink flowered net over chiffon and silk. She also wore a black picture hat. The bridesmaids were Misses Ellie Williams, Fannie DeVane and Miss Black, of Red Springs, and Miss Nellie Sprunt of Dillon, S. C. They were charmingly gowned in white silk with pink chiffon sashes and black picture hats. The groomsmen were Messrs. Robt. Andrews and Henry McCance, of Richmond, Va., and Messrs. James Black and Dave McMillan, of Red Springs. Little Misses Julia and Kate Faison, cousins of the bride, were ribbon girls. Monday night preceding the wedding a delightful reception was given the bridal party at the home of Capt. Black. A number of very handsome wedding gifts were on display. Immediately after the ceremony Tuesday morning, Mr. Butler and bride left for a wedding tour to Richmond and the St. Louis Exposition. Among those in attendance upon the wedding from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair Butler, Mrs. C. B. Ford, of Richmond, Va.; Mr. N. H. Sprunt, of Dillon, S. C.; Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Mathews, Miss Martha Williams, Mr. Haywood Faison and Mr. F. Carley West, of Wilmington.

Ferrell-Player.

Mr. W. O. Player, of Valdosta, Ga., and bride, nee Miss Elizabeth Ferrell, of Clinton, N. C., arrived in the city last evening and are guests at The Orion. Mr. Player and Miss Ferrell were married at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon in St. Paul's Episcopal church at Clinton, the rector, the Rev. F. N. Skinner, officiating. The church was handsomely decorated for the occasion and was well filled with friends of the bride and groom as the hour approached for the service. The wedding marches were delightfully rendered by Miss Bessie Patrick, of Clinton. The bride was gowned in a travelling suit of blue broadcloth and carried bride's roses and ferns. She was attended by her sister, Miss Cornelia Ferrell, as maid of honor. Miss Ferrell wore a becoming gown of white silk and carried pink carnations. The groom's best man was Mr. A. B. Croom, Jr., of Burgaw, while the ushers were Mr. Julius C. Hobbs, Jr., Mr. John A. Ferrell, Mr. T. M. Ferrell, Jr., and Mr. A. McL. Graham. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom, amid a shower of rice and good wishes, left on the afternoon train, arriving in Wilmington last evening. To-day they continue their wedding trip to Charleston and Savannah and will later be at home at Valdosta, where Mr. Player has had an important position with the Standard Oil Company for a number of years. Miss Ferrell is one of Clinton's fairest daughters and is very much admired in a wide circle of friends. A number of very handsome wedding gifts were received. Among the out of-town guests at the wedding yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Player, father and mother of the groom; Mrs. Elizabeth Graham, of Wallace; Miss Maggie J. Murphy, of Burgaw, and Dr. Walter C. Murphy, of Washington, D. C., the latter being an uncle of the bride.

Vann-Bland Nuptials.

Last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church, in the presence of a few friends, the Rev. Fred D. Hale, D. D., joined in marriage Miss Mary Bland, the attractive young daughter of Mrs. Mary E. Bland, of Keith, N. C., and Mr. John D. Vann, a clever young Wilmington business man, who is proprietor of Vann's Cigar Store. The marriage was very quiet according to the wishes of both bride and groom. However, after the ceremony they were the recipients of congratulations from a host of friends to whom the wedding came somewhat in the nature of a surprise. Mr. and Mrs. Vann will make their home in Wilmington where they are very popular in a wide circle of acquaintances. Mr. and Mrs. Vann will make their home for the present at the Colonial Inn.

Mr. Kellum Takes a Bride.

Mr. Woodard Kellum, a prominent young member of the Wilmington legal fraternity, and Miss Christian Horne, the accomplished young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Horne, of Masonboro, were married last evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the bride in the country. A number of friends were in attendance upon the nuptials and an informal reception followed the ceremony during which Mr. and Mrs. Kellum were felicitated upon their happy union. The bride and groom will make their home in this city.

"DOLLY VARDEN" SCORED HIT

Magnificent Comic Opera Production at Academy Last Night—Appreciated by Wilmington Theatre Public.

The most exacting patron of the theatre must have smiled with satisfaction and inwardly joined in the popular verdict of "none better" when the curtain went down on the last act of that beautiful and delighful comic opera, "Dolly Varden," at the Academy of Music last night. It is fair to say that it has been excelled by nothing at the local theatre in a dozen years and it is a source of regret that the house was not filled to standing room. The piece abounds in tuneful solos, duets and quartettes while the chorus is bright, vivacious and beautifully costumed.

The music was sublime. The company carries its own orchestra and under the direction of Mr. Orville L. Mayhood, the twenty numbers on the programme, incident to the play, were perfectly rendered according to competent musical authorities. Miss Rena Aubrey, who appeared as Lolitia Fairfax was perhaps the favorite of the singers.

Miss Maud Hollins in the title role was declared by many who had seen both the peeress of Lula Glaser, who made the opera famous. She sings the role faultlessly and takes care of her lines in a manner that always win applause from the audience. Charles W. Butler as "Lord Gayspark," a London exquisite; Tom Daniel as "John Fairfax," Dolly's Guardian; Horace Huff, as "Captain Belleville," and Raymond Youngman, as "Capt. Horace Harcourt," were each exceptionally clever. It was a magnificent production.

THE ELKS' MAGAZINE CLUB.

New Feature for Entertainment of Members—Organization Effected.

The "Magazine Club" has lately been organized in connection with the Wilmington Lodge of Elks, the object of the adjunct organization being to furnish in the club rooms of the Temple all the latest periodicals and magazines for the use of members. The club starts off with about 60 members, but in time it is proposed to have every resident Elk a member of the auxiliary branch of the club feature. The membership is $1 per year and in return members are promised carte blanche to every magazine and periodical of worth in the country. The following officers have been elected:

President—I. W. Solomon.
Vice President—M. B. Mintz.
Sec. and Treas.—E. Forshee.

A committee of three has been named to select the magazines and other periodicals and the subscriptions will be given in a day or two.

NEW ENTERPRISE INCORPORATED.

Cape Fear Aid and Relief Association Has Been Organized Here.

The Secretary of State has chartered the Cape Fear Aid and Relief Association of Wilmington to do a genera industrial insurance business throughout this and other States and territories. The charter gives the officers of the company the power to organize local or sub-branches, if they so desire, have any number of offices, to hold, purchase or sell real estate or personal property without limit and to operate in any country it desires.

The Association met yesterday and organized by electing Walter E. Yopp, president; John E. Wood secretary, and Samuel E. Wood treasurer. The Association expects to place a large number of agents in the field in a few days to make a thorough canvass of Wilmington and other cities in the State. By pluck and perseverance it expects in time to extend its operations all over the country.

Quarantines for Diphtheria.

The following diphtheria quarantines have been established by the Health Depariment within the past two days: Carl Fick, 18 years old, No. 11 South Fourth street; Miss Camille Twining, daughter of Capt. H. C. Twining, North Fourth street; Rufus LeGrand, five years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. LeGrand, No. 211 Chesnut street; Edward Savage, 10 years old, 306 Orange street. There are now more than a dozen quarantines for diphtheria in different sections of the city.

PENNY DAMAGE SUIT.

Issues Will Likely Be Submitted to the Jury Late This Afternoon.

THE PROCEEDINGS YESTERDAY

Number of Witnesses for the Defendant Heard—Argument by Counsel Will Begin First This Morning—Other Cases Continued.

Argument to the jury in the noted Penny damage suit against the railroad will begin in the Superior Court this morning. The case has attracted wide attention in the city and there is much speculation as to the award, if any, that the jury will make in its verdict. All of yesterday again was consumed in hearing the testimony of witnesses, principally for the railroad. That was concluded a little before 5 o'clock in the afternoon and a recess was taken until 9:30 o'clock this morning when Mr. Eugene S. Martin will open the argument to the jury for the plaintiff. On account of the large number of attorneys on each side it is expected that the speeches and Judge Moore's charge to the jury will consume a greater portion of the day. For the plaintiff Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy, E. K. Bryan, Herbert McClammy, A. J. Marshall and Eugene S. Martin appear, while for the defence there are Messrs. George Rountree, John D. Bellamy and Davis & Davis. The evidence in the case has all been reduced to manuscript by Miss Stella Sarlet, court stenographer.

The defendant resumed testimony upon the convening of court yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Capt. W. A. Snell, who was a passenger on the train the afternoon the shooting took place, was introduced. Capt. Snell has suffered a slight stroke of paralysis since the trial before, and by permission of both sides his evidence as given at the former hearing was read to the jury.

Mr. A. H. Weedon, also a passenger on the train, was next introduced, and he testified as to the circumstances of the shooting.

Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy and Dr. F. H. Russell, of Wilmington, testified as to Mr. Penny's injuries.

J. J. Mitchell, a resident of Leland, saw the shooting and told of the occurrence. Mr. W. A. Sue, formerly section master of the road, but now with the S. A. L. at Hamlet, also saw the shooting and told of his recollection of the affair. Capt. L. J. Williams, of Spartanburg, S. C., was with Mr. Sue and also told of the shooting as if occurred to him. Mail Clerk Bradford, of the train on which Mr. Penny was shot, and Henry Cobb, porter on the train, also testified for the railroad as to the occurrence.

Just before recess for the day, the plaintiff, Mr. B. F. Penny, was recalled and he testified to the nature of his injuries. Both sides then closed their case and it was announced that argument would begin first thing on the following morning.

The cases of Hugh S. Schwartz, for damages from the Consolidated Co., and C. M. Whitlock against Wm. Bragaw, were continued by consent. Both cases were set for yesterday and could not have been reached anyway.

The cases on the trial docket to-day, in the event the Penny, suit is completed before the hour of adjournment, will on taken up as follows: Louisa B. Smith, vs. Susan E. Moore, Ex.; McNair & Pearsall, vs. Wiley Thompson, et al; Rheinstein Dry Goods Co., vs. H. A. Townsend; J. C. Stevenson Co., vs. W. E. Stone, et al; D. McEachern, vs. A. H. Slocomb; Margaret McGarahan, et al, vs. A. G. Ricaud, et al.

OSCAR SPEARS TO SPEAK HERE.

Man Who Thanked God for Roosevelt and Booker Washington Coming Friday.

Oscar J. Spears, Republican candidate for Congress in this district, who declared at the nominating convention in Fayetteville that he thanked God for a president good enough and great enough to dine with Booker Washington, a representative of the race which helped save the fortunes of the Republic at SanJuan hill, "or words to that effect," has an appointment to speak in the Court House house here Friday night. No doubt a large crowd will be attracted by a speaker, who has such lax views on the race question, but it is doubtful if they will hearken in any serious way to what he has to say on that or any other question.

THE MAN THAT WILL END ROOSEVELT'S POLICY OF EMPIRE.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Graham McCallum, of Maxton, has taken a position with Mr. J. Allen Taylor, wholesale grocer.

— Friends of Mr. G. Henry Haar will be delighted to know that he is fast recovering from a recent very severe attack of typhoid fever.

— Rev. W. C. Power, of Marion, S. C., was in the city Tuesday visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Wingate, at the James Walker Memorial Hospital.

— Mrs. J. E. Wingate, who has been at the James Walker Memorial Hospital for several weeks, is rapidly improving, to the delight of her many friends.

— Miss Bessie Montgomery and Mrs. John W. Blomme are visiting in Columbia, S. C., and attending the State Fair as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sholar.

— Mr. John R. Harder, of Alamance county, this State, a special representative of the Oliver typewriter, will locate in Wilmington and has moved his family to the city.

—As the result of a mis step while taking gymnasium exercise at the Y. M. C. A. Monday, Col. Walker Taylor is on crutches. His knee cap was slightly dislocated, though he is able to be at his office during hours as usual.

— Among last night's arrivals were Dr. Jesse B. Bullock, of Lucknow, S. C.; W. H. Pope, of Fayetteville; M. Riddle, Jr., Savannah; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hall, Charlotte; W. S. Crane, Augusta; S. W. Worthington, Wilson.

DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY.

Eighth Annual Session in Fayetteville. In Memory of Mrs. Olds.

The eighth annual State Convention, United Daughters of the Confederacy, met in the Pythian Hall at Fayetteville yesterday morning, Mrs. Martha C. Kepler, of Asheville, first vice president, presiding. According to the beautiful custom of the Daughters in this State the convention opened with the singing of "Carolina," after which Rev. H. T. Graham, of the Presbyterian church, invoked a divine blessing upon the deliberations of the body. Mr. J. H. Myrover delivered a very cordial welcome address in behalf of J. E. B. Stuart Chapter, of Fayetteville, and Mayor C. B. McMillan, in behalf of the city. Mrs. Henry A. London, of Pittsboro, recording secretary of the State organization, responded in beautiful language, paying a tribute to the people of the Upper Cape Fear.

After the singing of an ode, with the benediction by Rev. I. W. Hughes, the convention went into memorial services in honor of Mrs. Fred A. Olds, State President until the time of her death in Raleigh, a few months ago. Mrs. Kepler read a beautiful tribute to Mrs. Olds. Other tributes were paid to the memory of Mrs. Olds by Mrs. T. J. Jarvis, of Greenville; Mrs. A. S. Shannon, of Charlotte; Mrs. E. E. Moffitt, of Raleigh; Mrs. Cotton, of Newbern; Mrs. London, of Pittsboro; Mrs. Hart, Mrs. I. W. Faison, Miss Andrews, of Charlotte, and Mrs. Broadnax, of Greensboro. The morning session adjourned with the singing of "Nearer My God to Thee" and the benediction by Rev. I. W. Hughes.

BIG SCENIC PRODUSTION TO-NIGHT.

Nothing Ever Seen on Local Stage to Eclipse "Babes in Toyland."

One of the greatest theatrical treats of the year will be afforded Wilmington's amusement loving public to-night at the Academy in the superb and gigantic production to be given of "Babes in Toyland," last season's big New York success.

To make the road production just as elaborately as they gave the show in New York, where it ran for 250 nights at the Majestic Theatre, Hamlin and Mitchell are starring the famous comedian "Little Chip" and the immensely popular actress, Mary Marble, in the principal characters, Alan and Jane. To support these stars some of New York's most prominent comedians and comediennes have been engaged. One may form an idea of what a brilliant organization the "Babes in Toyland" company is when it is considered that in the supporting company there is Budd Ross, often times starred; Avis Hale, the prominent vocalist and gifted actress, late with Anna Held; Florence Bergere, who made such a great impression in the London production of The Prince of Pilsen; Helen Maye, the beautiful Salt Lake City girl who won instant recognition from New York managers and the public; Mark Lane, formerly of Frank Daniels' forces, and many others. There are four score beautiful girls in this great production.

Seats are now on sale at Plummer's, and they are going in a hurry.

Southern Saw Mill Works.

Iredell Meares, Esq., counsel with R. E. Lee, Esq., of Lumberton, for a number of the bondholders of the Southern Saw Mill and Lumber Co., of Kingsdale, N. C., is in Asheville and has made application to United States Circuit Judge Pritchard for permission to file a bill of foreclosure against the receiver of the company. The motion will be heard by Judge Pritchard in a week or ten days, when it is expected that some interesting facts will develop. The petition charges mismanagement and fraud on the part of the receiver, according to a dispatch from Asheville.

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Carpenter Grocery.
oct 27 tf

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Solomon's Shoe Store.
oct 23 tf

MASONIC FAIR AT RED SPRINGS.

Masons Have Undertaken Commendable Work in Beautiful Robeson Town.

[Special Star Correspondence.]

Red Springs, N. C., Oct. 25.—Red Springs Lodge No. 501, A. F. & A. M., with the aid of the friends of the grand and noble order, and the friends of the destitute, the fatherless, and the aged and infirm, have in their hearts to build a Masonic Temple. This temple is to be dedicated to God, in the name of the destitute, widows, orphans, and the aged and infirm. Under the auspices of the lodge a Masonic Fair will be held in the town of Red Springs, opening Nov. 14 and closing Nov. 19, 1904.

In addition to the amusements at the Fair, there will be a sale of all contributions of produce, furniture, machinery, wares or merchandise of whatever description we may be so fortunate as to receive.

Contributions made to this righteous cause will not only be appreciated by the Masonic fraternity of this section, your friends in this community, the destitute widows, orphans, and the old and unfortunate ones, but you will feel better for having taken part in the building of this perpetual monument that will contribute to the support of these little ones.

In order to show our gratitude for whatever donation we may receive, we have arranged to place said contributions on exhibition as soon as they arrive, and will be on continuous display with whatever advertising matter may be sent with it. Should no advertising matter be sent with it, we wish to place the contributor's name and business address on it, to remain until sold during the Fair week. We will also keep a public register open, upon which a record will be made of all gifts and by whom given; not for the purpose of flattery or for the purpose of giving praise or special publicity to the giver, but we want a perpetual record of the mites contributed to this great cause, and we think we ought to know not only our friends, but the friends of the cause that will do so much to brighten the lives of suffering humanity. This record will be deposited with the archives of the Temple, as a memorial from generation to generation.

We need your help, and most cordially solicit your support. We sometimes say within our hearts, if we only knew what good and acceptable thing we could do for the Master, we would only be too glad to do it. Now the opportunity presents itself, what are you going to do with it? We would be pleased to see you at the Fair. We promise a week of profit, combined with one continuous round of merriment and pleasure.

J. Allen Huggins,
Sec. and Treas.

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Lyceum Offering.

Capt. Jack Crawford, the Poet-Scout, will be the next offering in the popular Lyceum Course being offered at the Academy this season by Messrs. Cowan Bros. The date is next Wednesday evening and patrons of the course are assured of something excellent. The sale opens to subscribers on Monday morning; to the general public on Tuesday morning.

Have You a Cold?

If so, get a box of Ahrens' Cold and Grippe Cure. A guaranteed cure for la grippe or colds and a positive relief for neuralgia and rheumatism. Cure guaranteed in 24 hours if taken according to directions. No cure, no money. Better nip that cold in the bud right now.

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WILMINGTON, N. C., October 25th, 19

Office of the Treasurer,

Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co.

There will be due and payable on November 1st, 1904, two per cent. interest on the Certificates of indebtedness of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, and the Treasurer of that Company has been directed to pay to all holders of record as of October 17th, 1904, this interest. The transfer books were closed October 17th and will stand closed until November 1st, 1904 both inclusive.

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THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 27.

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of New York.
For Vice-President:
HENRY G. DAVIS,
of West Virginia.

State Democratic Ticket.

For Governor:
ROBERT B. GLENN.
For Lieutenant Governor:
FRANCIS D. WINSTON.
Associate Justices of Supreme Court:
W. A. HOKE,
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B. R. LACY.
Secretary of State:
J. BRYAN GRIMES.
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H. B. VARNER.
Corporation Commissioner:
S. L. ROGERS.
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S. L. PATTERSON.

For Congress—Sixth District:
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County Democratic Ticket.

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SHERIFF.—Frank H. Stedman.
TREASURER.—Hector McL. Green.
REGISTER OF DEEDS.—William H. Biddle.
CORONER.—Charles D. Bell.
CONSTABLE, Wilmington Township.—W. B. Savage.

JUDGE PARKER HOLDS THE FORT.

Judge Parker's Philippines speech at Esopus last week hit the Republicans a hard blow. The lick was so hard that some of his statements were telegraphed to Gen. Luke Wright at Manilla for denial. Gen. Wright knew what was expected of him and he sent back a long cablegram attempting to refute what Judge Parker stated. That cablegram cost $700, it might be interesting to note.

Judge Parker can rest assured that he made all his vital points good. He may have been guilty of some minor inaccuracies in his Philippines speech, but the people who have read the newspapers for six years know that in the main he stated the absolute facts of the situation, Gen. Luke Wright to the contrary notwithstanding. Does Gen. Wright expect the American people to believe that after a war lasting five years and with the newspapers and magazines following up the situation, there is nothing in the statement made by Judge Parker? Not much. The Washington Post, Independent, puts the case about right when it says:

"Gov. Luke Wright's somewhat expensive telegram from Manila to Washington will hardly be accepted by the thoughtful as more than an acknowledgment of the necessity for an explanation. It tells us nothing new. It is, in fact, a mere repetition—with details changed or amplified to meet the immediate emergency—of the assurances which in times past have reached us from a similar source. No one doubts that Gov. Luke Wright speaks with absolute sincerity. Everybody is willing to believe that he states the case as he sees it, and as he really thinks it is. We have had the same estimate in previous declarations—from Gen. Otis, from Prof. Schurman, from Judge Taft. The attitude and convictions of these gentleman are perfectly well understood, and none has challenged their good faith. But the country is not satisfied that these eminent and honorable witnesses are acquainted with the facts. Time and time again, the most roseate proclamations have been set at naught by tragic and abhorrent revelations. Notably in 1900, a particularly optimistic picture of the situation—withheld, as afterward appeared, for a psychological moment in the campaign—was defaced, obliterated in fact, the very next day by an undeniable tragedy within sight of the very walls of Manila. Painful experience of this kind has made us cautious, not to say incredulous. We have come to believe that the army officers, who are in contact with the real conditions, know more about them than the civil officials who sit safely in the capital and get their convictions from hearsay—from interested sources, to put it in plain words. All this may be a mistake, though the record does not warrant that conclusion. If so, the government must thank its own system for the result. But, as things stand, the country, while it may give to Gov. Luke Wright the utmost confidence in his personal integrity, will not jump to the conclusion that he knows the facts of the case, and that his inferences are final."

The people, very fortunately, are pretty well posted on the conditions in the Philippines, and a close study of Gen. Wright's denial will convince them that it amounts to nothing. Even from his denial we gather that the exports of the Philippines are not three times as great as those from the port of Wilmington alone.

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN

A DANGEROUS FLOTILLA.

Our British cousins are a patient and forbearing people, and their equinamity is again illustrated under the insane blunder which Russia's Baltic fleet committed in firing into a helpless fishing fleet the other day in the North sea, off the coast of England. The only reasonable theory for the action of the Russian admiral is that the British trawlers were taken for a Japanese torpedo flotilla, but it was nevertheless a shameful and criminal blunder. The Russian admiral also committed a crime against humanity when he sailed away without offering assistance to the fishermen.

The Czar has apologized and expressed regret, but the Muscovite empire will have to pay dearly in a more substantial way for the men killed and wounded and for the boats that were sunk. It is stated that the Baltic fleet is going to loitre along and does not expect to reach Chinese-Japanese waters before February. It starts out with its hair on ends, seeing an enemy in every speck on the ocean, and in a lounging voyage like that which is to be followed, there is no telling what other devilment the Russian naval blacksmiths are to be guilty of before they get where the Japanese will most likely make short work of them.

Russia has already apologized and the Czar has expressed "intense regret and grief" over the North Sea blunder. He will also have to make reparation by a stiff indemnity. Some statesmen in England demand that the Baltic fleet be recalled from its mission, but interference of that nature would be an act of war and would compel France to take a hand in the war as the ally of Russia. Of course, the British government will not go that far towards embrolling all Europe in the Far Eastern war.

The world will be relieved when the Russian squadron gets to where it is going. In running amuck on the high seas it will be lucky if it does not commit other acts of lunacy upon the peaceful shipping of the world.

ONE OF CLEVELAND'S HARD HITS.

Mr. Cleveland declared in his New York speech that the Republican party is guilty of "selfish international immorality."

The G. O. P., now on the defensive and always offensive, will attempt to deny Mr. Cleveland's impeachment, in face of the fact that that party practically shuts out from our shores, with high protection, all foreign trade, and at the same time is one of the biggest dogs in the meathouse in demanding the open door and a free raid in the Orient.

The G. O. P. guards the closed door at home and keeps the navy busy protecting the open door in China. That looks selfish and piratical too. No wonder Mr. Cleveland also stigmatised the Republican party for its "undermining materialism."

If we were a Chinaman we would set up nights wondering how to keep China from emerging at the little end of the horn, considering the fact that all the so-called civilized nations of the world have her by the throat and also have an umbilical clutch in their demands for trade.

The greed of commercialism can be seen in the manner in which the powers are to-day exploiting the "Heathen Chinee. They must have unlimited confidence in China's inexhaustible ability to buy and be bled.

International imposition is international immorality.

A Philadelphia woman has erected a tombstone to her Llewellyn setter because "he was like one of the family." The old man, if he is not a setter, ought to make her say which one of the family he was like.

Broke Into His House.

S. Le Quinn, of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of chronic constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he is entirely cured. They are guaranteed to cure. 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

While There is Life There is Hope.

I was afflicted with catarrh; could neither taste nor smell and could hear but little. Ely's Cream Balm cured it.—Marcus G. Shautz, Rahway, N. J.

Cream Balm reached me safely and the effect is surprising. My son says the first application gave decided relief. Respectfully, Mrs. Franklin Freeman, Dover, N. H.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

For Over Sixty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over 60 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

Special Reduced Rates Via Seaboard Air Line.

Raleigh and return, $4.55, account N. C. Industrial Fair (colored). Tickets on sale Oct. 23rd to 27th, inclusive. Columbia, S. C., and return, $6.50, including one admission to the State Agricultural & Mechanical Fair, Oct. 24-26. Tickets on sale Oct. 24th to 27th, inclusive, good returning till Oct. 30th.

the genuine "old joe" whiskey has a red seal over cork to protect you. be sure to look for it. sold everywhere. you know it's good.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

—It is comforting to be assured by Secretary Shaw that the trusts have all been killed.—Baltimore Sun.

—If President Roosevelt is so fond of the negro, why does he want to live in a White House?—Baltimore Sun.

—When it comes to a defence of the Philippines that cable to Manila is used as freely as if it were a postal card.—Baltimore Sun.

—Seven minutes' continuous cheering for Mr. Cleveland? Well, well, what are the Democrats coming to?—Indianapolis News.

—A Philadelphia paper says that Wisconsin has the political itch. But the scratching stage will not develop till November 8.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

—To read the great speeches of Parker, Cleveland, Carlisle and Bryan, all delivered on the same day, is a liberal political education.—Philadelphia Record.

—Just to show that he believes the country is safe, Senator Fairbanks is going to waste a few days making Republican speeches in Ohio.—Washington Post.

—While Judge Parker may appreciate the compliment of telegraphing his speech to Manilla for Governor General Wright to answer, who is paying the cable toll? The people?—New York World.

—With formaldehyde making a glass of milk dangerous, wood alcohol poison in whiskey and arsenin beer, the time honored question, "What will you have?" becomes a difficult one to answer.—New York World.

—"The Republicans have plenty of money," says a New York dispatch. They might use some of it in paying the cable tolls on their campaign documents from the Philippines instead of increasing the amount on Secretary Shaw's slip in the cash drawer.—Washington Post.

—The Navy Department has determined that Secretary Taft's visit to Panama will start from Pensacola, instead of Tampa, as was orginally projected, the reason being that the Columbia, which is to carry the party, cannot safelty enter Tampa Harbor because of her great draft. The party expects to start for Pensacola on November 14, and the Columbia will be speeded with her triple screws to make the trip to Colon within four days.—Washington Post.

TWINKLINGS.

—Jiggs—My wife talks to herself all the time. Riggs—Is that so? I wish mine would.—Detroit Free Press.

—Monsieur—Does that pretty American over there speak French fluently? Madame—Oh, yes; she talks fluently enough, but nobody can understand her.—Detroit Free Press.

—"Poor Ritchley! He proposed to that Boston girl last night—" "And was turned down?" "He doesn't know. She used such big words he couldn't understand what she was saying."—Philadelphia Press.

—"When you'se done los' an opportunity," said Uncle Eben, "you wants to git busy lookin' for another, 'stid o' sittin down an' talkin' 'bout yoh hahd luck like you was proud of it."—Washington Star.

—"Did you say he grew rich through a patent of his own?" "Yes; he invented something that made a woman think she was still monopolizing the conversation—long after she had really stopped talking."—Detroit Free Press.

—Mrs. Southside—What is your husband's first name? Mrs. Lakefront—Bless my soul! Don't you know, I've never thought to ask him. But, then, I only met him last week, you see.—Houston Chronicle.

—The Senator—I once sold my vote for $50. The Minister—And as you look back upon your past life, don't you feel ashamed of the act? The Senator—Yes, parson, I do. Why, I wouldn't look at less than $500 now!—Pittsburg Post.

—"I can't imagine anything harder than to tell a girl that you love her, I tell you, that takes courage." "Yes, but think of the courage it takes to tell a girl that you don't love her after you've once told her you did."—Philadelphia Press.

—Nordy—I hear that a young New York millionaire hired a room at $125 a day, and then found his bed too short for him. Butts—It wouldn't be that way with me. Nordy—Why, you're over six feet yourself. Butt—Yes; but I'm too short for that bed.—Houston Chronicle.

Saves Two from Death.

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y.; "but, when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to-day she is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for Coughs and Colds. 50c and $1.00 bottles guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Trial bottles free.

COST OF LIVING

Figures Juggled by the Administration Officials to Sustain its Policy and Credit.

As an illustration of how figures may be juggled to prove most anything that is desired, Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner of Labor, who prepared a report on the cost of living, which report is being used for campaign purposes by the Republican committee, gives a few comparisons to bear out his contention that the increase in food stuffs has been on the average inconsiderable.

A comparison is made between the cost of butter and vinegar. The former, it is shown, has increased in price 112.9 per cent. and the claim is set up that this increase is overcome by the decrease of 88 per cent. in vinegar.

By comparing these two articles the cost of living remains stationary by setting a 12 per cent. increase in the price of butter against a 12 per cent. decrease in the price of vinegar, yet the butter bill of the average family must be fifty times as great as the vinegar bill.

In Mr. Wright's table on fuel and lighting we find that the average price has risen to 139.8. This table includes a number of different kinds of coal, candles and petroleum, also coke and matches. Coke and matches show a decrease in price, while all the others show an increase:

Increased in price:	
Anthracite coal, chestnut	137.7
Decreased in price:	
Matches	85.4
Average for both articles	111.5

Which goes to show that the cost of fuel and lighting has not increased a great deal, although many men will think that the decrease in the price of matches is hardly a fair set-off against the increase in the price of coal.

HOW PRICES HAVE INCREASED.

Concerning the alleged "statistics" furnished from the National Bureau of Labor and given circulation by the Republican Campaign Committee with a view to showing that the average wages earned in comparison with the cost of living is equal to, if not greater than under Democratic rule, a few figures may not be amiss.

It seems to be an uncontroverted fact that wages have not increased within the past ten years to any perceptible degree, and the "statistics," prepared under the direction of Hon. Carroll D. Wright, admit that the cost of food has increased approximately a little over 5 per cent.

In his figures, Mr. Wright submits a table showing prices which have increased and those which have decreased. In the column of increases the commodities most essential and therefore mostly used appear, while in the opposing column, many of the articles enumerated are by no means necessities.

The table follows:

Increased in price:	
Flour	104.5
Butter	112.9
Codfish	118.6
Cheese	121.6
Potatoes	126.2
Beans	130.2
Milk	127.5
Eggs	193.6
Average price	129.3
Decreased in price:	
Soda Crackers	90.5
Vinegar	88.0
Dried Apples	72.8
Prunes	67.8
Nutmegs	67.1
Soda	64.6
Rice	87.0
Corn Starch	93.6
Average price	78.92

ALMOST SELF PRAISE.

Coming somewhat in the light of a man endorsing his own note, or felicitating himself, is a letter published recently in Paris from the pen of former Minister Bunau-Varilla, sustaining President Roosevelt's course in the Panama coup.

Inasmuch as Minister Bunau-Varilla was Mr. Roosevelt's guide and ally in the snap judgment taken upon the Republic of Colombia, and inasmuch also as he was one of the chief beneficiaries under the whole transaction, he could hardly do less than applaud the act.

FRICK TO COLLECT FUNDS.

A special telegram to the New York World, from Pittsburg, says:

"Henry Clay Frick has been appointed the financial head of the Republican campaign in western Pennsylvania, the object being to use him to secure financial aid from the manufacturers of this section."

The man who made this appointment, if anybody did, is George B. Cortelyou, who WAS Secretary of Commerce (and presumably the chief Government hunter for trust secrets), and IS Chairman and chief fat-fryer for the Republican National Committee.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—186 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 38 barrels rosin, 38 barrels tar, 64 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—409 bales cotton, 35 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,300 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 7 barrels rosin, 7 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—166 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—35 bales cotton.

Steamer Tar Heel—16 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 26 barrels rosin, 36 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Franklin Pierce—8 casks spirits turpentine, 30 barrels rosin.

Total—2,113 bales cotton, 33 casks spirits turpentine, 101 barrels rosin, 80 barrels tar, 105 barrels crude turpentine.

—Lumberton is to have a carnival by the Jones Carnival Company, beginning October 31st.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, October 26.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—$2.45 bid per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.60 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.30 per barrel for hard, $3.80 for dip, $3.80 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine steady at 56c; rosin firm at $2.10; tar firm at $1.80; crude turpentine firm at $2.25@3.80.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	33
Rosin	101
Tar	80
Crude turpentine	105

Receipts same day last year—41 casks spirits turpentine, 101 barrels rosin, 80 barrels tar, 105 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 9¼c for middling.

Receipts—2,113 bales; same day last year, 2,329.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina (new crop, firm. Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c. Spanish, 70@75c.

CORN—Firm; 60@65c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 11c; sides, 11c.

EGGS—Dull at 20c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 30@35c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm. Live, 12½c; dressed, 15@16c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5¼@6¼c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50@60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2@3c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Money on call steady at 1¾@2½ per ct.; closing bid 2 per cent.; offered at 2½ per cent.; time loans easy and dull; sixty days 3 per cent; ninety days 3¼ per cent.; six months 3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@5 per ct. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills 486.40@486.45 for demand and 483.85@483.90 for sixty day bills. Posted rates were 484¾ and 487. Commercial bills were 483¼. Bar silver 58⅝. Mexican dollars 46¼. U. S. refunding 2's, reg'd, 104¾; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 104¾; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 104½; do. coupon, 105½; U. S. 4's, new, registered, 130⅝; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 131½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 106½; do. coupon, ext'nt, 106⅜; Atlantic Coast Line 4's, 98¾; Louisville & Nashville, unified 4's, 102¾; Norfolk & Western consol 4's —; Seaboard Air Line 4's 81; Southern Railway 5's, 118¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 95; Chesapeake & Ohio 45⅝; Manhattan L 160¾; New York Central 133¾; Reading 74½; do. 1st pref'd, 87½; do. 2nd pref'd 80; Southern Railway 34⅜; do. pref'd 94¾; Amalgamated Copper 66⅝; People's Gas 108¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 56⅝; U. S. Leather 12¾; U. S. Leather preferred, 91; Western Union 91; U. S. Steel 20⅝; do. preferred 80⅞; Mexican Central 18¼; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 37; sales — shares; do. preferred, closed 110½; sales — shares. Standard Oil 646.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 16@16¼c; do. preferred, 33¼@34¼; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 138@140; do. preferred —

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $2 87½@2 90. Spirits turpentine steady.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 26.—Spirits turpentine and rosin—nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, Oct. 26.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 51¾c; receipts 499 casks; sales 340 casks; exports 561 casks. Rosin was firm; receipts 1,415 barrels; sales 1,770 bbls; exports 1,257 A, B, C, $2 55; D, $2 60; E, $2 62½@2 65; F, $2 67½@270; G, $2 72½@2 75; H, $2 82½@2 85; I, $3 00; K, $3 75; M, $4 25; N, $4 40; W G, $4 65; W W, $5 00.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, October 26.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of two points to an advance of two points. Influences were conflicting. Cables were poorer than expected, while the weather as reported by the early map was considered unfavorable, owing to more or less general rains and forecasts for colder weather in the western belt. At first prices responded to the cables, but before the call was completed it became evident that there was a little better buying movement through commission houses, and May opened higher, while the whole list immediately following the call moved up and before the end of the first hour showed net gains of about four to seven points. After the initial bulges, the market ruled generally weak under Wall street bear pressure, selling of hedges by leading spot interests, liquidation and selling orders from Liverpool, where sentiment was affected according to private reports by an estimate of the crop placing it at over 12,000,000 bales. The market closed within a point or two of the bottom, at a net decline of nine to thirteen points. The final tone was steadied by the covering of room shorts. Sales were estimated at 235,000 bales.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Cotton was quiet at 10.05c, net receipts — bales; gross receipts 8,839 bales; stock 75,862 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet: middling uplands 10.05c; middling gulf 10 30c; sales 627 bales.

Futures market closed steady: October 9.52, November 9.52, December 9.66, January 9.75, February 9 80, March 9.96, April 9.98, May 9.90, June 9.93, July 9.97.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 61,185 bales; exports to Great Britain 12,011 bales; exports to France 50 bales; exports to the Continent 23,459 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico 2,306 bales; stock 769,025 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 378,748 bales; exports to Great Britain 51,779 bales; exports to France 34,326 bales; exports to Continent 106,367 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico 3,806 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 2,535,189 bales; exports to Great Britain 862,650 bales; exports to France 190,306 bales; exports to the Continent 884,295 bales; exports to Japan 10,233 bales; exports to Mexico 6,801 bales.

Oct. 26.—Galveston, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts 11,602 bales; Norfolk, nominal, net receipts 4,764 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9.87, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 10.05, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 2,112 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 10.30, net receipts 103 bales; Savannah, steady at 9¼c, net receipts 12,743 bales; New Orleans, easy at 9 9 16c, net receipts 25,547 bales; Mobile, easy at 9 7-16c, net receipts 2,768 bales; Memphis, steady at 9¾c, net receipts 5,557 bales; Augusta, steady at 9 11-16, net receipts 2,459 bales; Charleston, quiet at 9¾c, net receipts, 1,546 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS

By Telegram to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Flour was moderately active at firm prices. Rye flour firm. Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red $1 18¾. Options opened a trifle easier under foreign selling of May, rallied on smaller receipts, but on the last hour broke severely in response to Minneapolis heaviness, closing ¼@¾c net decline; May closed $1 13¾; July closed $1 02¾; December closed $1 17⅞. Corn—Spot firm; No. 2, 60¼c. Options market was more active and generally firm all day on small receipts and talk of December manipulation, closing partly ⅝c net higher; May closed 51¾c; December 57¾c. Oats—Spot quiet; mixed, 34½@35¼c. Options nominal. Cabbages steady; per barrel crate 50@75c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton, by steamer, 15c. Potatoes—Market was quoted steady; Long Island, in bulk, per 180 lbs, $1 75@2 00; State and Western $1 50@1 75. Jersey sweets $1 25@1 75. Butter firm; State dairy, common to extra 13@20c; creamery, common to extra 13@21½. Cheese—Market quiet; State, full cream, October, colored and white choice 9¼c. Eggs steady; State, Pennsylvania, and nearby selected white, extra fancy 30; Southern 17@30. Lard quiet; Western steam $7 60; October closed $7 60, nominal; refined dull. Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 3⅝c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4¼c; molasses sugar 3⅛c; refined steady. Rice firm. Cotton seed oil was easy in the absence of support: Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 20@30½c; prime summer yellow 26¼@27c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white and winter yellow 30@31c.

CHICAGO, October 26.—The apology by Russia for the shelling of the British fishing boats was largely the cause of a weak wheat market here to-day. A break in cash prices was an important factor. At the close both the December and May options were off 5 8c. Corn is up 5-8 to 3-4c. Oats shows a gain of 1-4c. Provisions are practically unchanged.

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Cash prices: Flour firm. Wheat—No. 2 spring $1 13@1 16; No. 3 spring $1 05@1 13; No. 2 red $1 17½@1 18¼. Corn—No. 2 55c; No. 3 yellow 57c. Oats—No. 2 30c; No. 2 white 32c; No. 3 white 30½c. Rye—No. 2 78c. Mess pork, per bbl., $10 87½@11 00. Lard, per 100 lbs, quoted $7 37½@8 87½. Short rib sides, loose, $7 12½@7 25. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no market report. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 37½@7 50. Whisker—Basis of high wines, $1 25.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 3 October —, —, —, $1 12¾; December $1 14¾@1 14¾, 1 15¼, 1 13¾, 1 13¾@1 14; May $1 13¾@1 13¾, 1 13¾@1 13¾, 1 12¾, 1 12¾@1 12¾; July 98¾, 99¾, 98c. Corn—October —, —, —, 54c; December 49¾@49½, 50, 49¾, 49¾@49¾c; May 46¼@46¼, 46¾, 46, 46@46¾c. Oats—No. 2 October 29¾, 30, 29¾, 30; December 29¼, 29¾, 29¼, 29½c; May 31¼, 31½, 31¼, 31½@31¾c. Mess pork, per bbl—October —, —, —, $10 85; January $12 30, 12 40, 12 30, 12 32½; May $12 35, 12 35, 12 35, 12 35. Lard, per 100 lbs—October $7 12½, 7 12½, 7 10, 7 10; January $7 07½, 7 15, 7 07½, 7 10; May $7 22½, 7 25, 7 17½, 7 17½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—October $7 15, 7 15, 7 15, 7 15; January $6 40, 6 45, 6 40, 6 42½; May $6 52½, 6 60, 6 52½, 6 57½.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 8¾c; mild quiet; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at an advance of 5 points and closed steady, net unchanged to 5 points higher. Sales 47,000 bags.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 26.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business; prices ten points higher; American middling fair 5.78d; good middling 5.53d; middling 5.43d; low middling 5.28d; good ordinary 5.14d; ordinary 4.98d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 300 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,400 bales American. Receipts 37,000 bales, including 33,300 bales American.

Futures opened firm and closed easy; American middling (g o c): October 5.27d; October and November 5.27d; November and December 5.25d; December and January 5.26d; January and February 5.27d; February and March 5.28d; March and April 5.29d; April and May 5.30d; May and June 5.31d; June and July 5.31d; July and August 5.31d.

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ARRIVED.

Stmr A P Hurt, Robeson, Fayetteville, Jno S McEachern.

Schr Young Brothers, 852 tons, Snow, Perth Amboy, C D Maffitt.

CLEARED.

British steamer Reigate, Ross, Liverpool, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

LIVERPOOL—British steamer Reigate, 12,011 bales cotton, 5,151,534 pounds, valued at $646,100; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., October 27.

STEAMERS.

Skidby, (Br) 2,421 tons, Jones, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

David Mainland, (Br) 1,201 tons, Clark, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Lord Antrim, (Br) 2,774 tons, English, Heide & Co.

Armenia, (Br) 1,515 tons, Scarf, Heide & Co.

Skerryvore, (Br) 2,200 tons, Symonds, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS

Young Brothers, 852 tons, Snow, C D Maffitt.

Thos A Ward, 739 tons, Jones, C D Maffitt.

Collins W Walton, 881 tons, Megee, C D Maffitt.

C C Lister, 266 tons, Moore, C D Maffitt.

Caledonia, (Br) 188 tons, Firth, C D Maffitt.

Edith H Symington, 881 tons, Stiles, C D Maffitt.

—About November 9th a lot of persons will be envying that Michigan girl who has just received $12,000 for the loss of her scalp.—Washington Post.

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If you have any itchiness of the skin,
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Gov. Aycock will speak in Baltimore Saturday night, November fifth, when the Democrats will wind up their campaign in a grand rally in Lyric Hall. The other speaker will be Senator Gorman.

— Raleigh News and Observer: Farmers report that in many sections of the country they will finish picking cotton by November first. This is earlier than usual and is due to the extremely favorable weather.

— The franchises and road bed of the Asheville and Weaverville Electric Railway have been transferred to Jno. D. Miles, of Warsaw, Ind., and it is said that work will begin shortly and the road from Asheville to Weaverville a distance of ten miles, pushed to completion.

— Raleigh News and Observer: Clerk of the Court Russ yesterday qualified as administrator of the estate of Clarrissey Townsend, deceased, Americus Vespucii Covington, a Richmond darkey of old family and quite as respectable and dignified in appearance as his name is in sound.

— Monroe Journal: We venture the prediction that there will be no finer exhibit of buggies at the Mecklenburg Fair this week than that of the Piedmont Buggy Company's of this place. The company has sent up ten vehicles for exhibition, and they are all beauties in their class.

— Charlotte News: Charlotte is to have a new mattress factory and one that will be run on a large scale. W. C. Thomas & Co., of Crowley, N. C, will manufacture fine feat mattresses and will have ample quarters to conduct a large plant and it is understood, will use all the available space.

— Newbern Journal: Word has been received regarding the condition of Rev. T. M. N. George, who is sick at Boston. The late reports say that the fever is gone but that he is quite weak, but improving and it is hoped he may be able to return home in a week. His many friends will be glad to hear of Mr. George's improvement.

— Raleigh News and Observer: The date set for the North Carolina Day in the public schools of the State has been fixed for Friday, the 23d of December, and in future the last Friday before Christmas will be the regular date for these distinctive exercises. The subject this year will be "The Pamlico Section." Superintendent Joyner has been busy arranging the programme, which is now in the hands of the printer and will be ready for distribution in pamphlet form, it is hoped, not later than November 10th.

— Raleigh Post: The little son of Governor Aycock, who is suffering from typhoid fever, is very much improved, so the Governor states yesterday evening. He is regarded as out of danger now, and the Governor has decided to accept an invitation to discuss the issues of the campaign in Baltimore under the auspices of the National Democratic campaign committee on the night of November 5th. However, he will make no further appointments outside of North Carolina. His appointments in this State stand. They are at Durham to-night, in Raleigh Thursday night, at Pittsboro October 28th and at Henderson on the 29th.

— A dispatch from Goldsboro says: The Howland Improvement Company, lessees of the A. & N. C. R. R., have put a new automobile on the streets for the use of their office force. The machine is an electric vehicle and being the first ever in Goldsboro naturally attracts considerable attention. The company now has its executive offices in operation in this city. The next thing to be done is for the business men of Goldsboro to make an effort to secure the shops of the road. It is understood that a barbecue will soon be given at the country club, to which all the business men of the city will be invited. The question of securing the shops will then come up for consideration and committees will be appointed to make an effort in that direction.

— Mexican Herald: Dear, kindly Matt Ransom, erstwhile American minister here, in the days before there was an embassy. He was the pink of courtesy, a real chevalier, romantic in a way, always Chesterfieldian, even to the point of making the most polite Mexicans despair of rivaling him. In his solitary walks Minister Ransom liked the Alameda, and the Paseo de la Reforma, then not built up. He was fond of gorgeous sunsets, volcano tops tinged with pink, a pretty girl's bright eyes, a noble horse, and all of God's good things. He was a stately figure anywhere, and his manners were of the fine old Southern school. He should be made an archangel: he had the figure and the dignity. His language was choice and he was nice about verbal usages. To know him was to love him, for he was a man of personal charm.

— Goldsboro Argus: It may not be generally known—but it is nevertheless a fact—that right here in Goldsboro we manufacture up-to-date horse hose wagons and hose reels, that for workmanship and design are all that could be desired. These wagons and reels are designed and constructed in the shops of Mr. Jerre Harris. Mr. Harris is a Goldsboro boy and a workman possessed of rare mechanical skill. He has just completed a handsome racing wagon for the Tarboro Fire Company. This is a combination hose wagon with ladders and chemical tank attached, and is a beauty. A short time ago he completed one of these wagons for the Henderson Fire Company, which the company was delighted with. The racing wagons and service hose wagons in use by the Goldsboro Fire Company were also made right here in Goldsboro by Mr. Harris.

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Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes: "For twelve years I suffered from yellow jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters, and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It is guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Only 50c. †

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It is computed that no fewer than twenty millions of these bodies enter the earth's atmosphere daily, each one of which, under favorable conditions, would be distinctly visible. Occasionally they reach the earth in solid form, but showing signs of recent fusion of an outer layer. They vary in weight from some hundreds of pounds to a single grain. Their principal chemical constituents are iron, magnesium, silicon, oxygen, nickel and cobalt.

LOVE IN LAPLAND.

Things a Suitor Must Do Before He Wins His Bride.

When a lad is in love with a girl in Lapland they run a race—not a fair race, for he is so heavily handicapped that if she wishes the girl can get first to the goal, but if she cares for the young man who is trying to win she lets him overtake her, because if she outruns him he cannot propose again.

But even if he wins the race and the girl at the same time the young lovers cannot be married until they have the consent of the girl's parents. At one time if a man married a girl without this he was liable to receive capital punishment.

Besides an engagement ring, the young Laplander sends his future bride a girdle and a quantity of brandy. He goes as far as the door of her hut, but remains outside until invited to enter, when a bumper of brandy is offered to the girl's father. If he drinks it, it means that he gives his consent to the marriage, and the happy lover then pays the father a sum of money and promises to give the girl some clothes.

His One Fault.

"Oh, yes, Cholly is a harmless sort of fellow. The only thing about him is that he has brain trouble."

"Nonsense! He hasn't any brain at all."

"I know. That's the trouble."—Philadelphia Press.

Parting Shot.

"No," said Miss Thirtiodd, "I could not think of marrying you. Everybody knows you are a confirmed rake."

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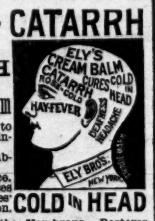

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In the Bishop's Carriage; by Marian Michelson.
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REPORT

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 428,158 33
Furniture and fixtures	3160 00
	100 00
Demand loans	47,550 00
Due from banks and bankers	22,564 32
Cash items	6,361 36
Gold coin	75 00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	379 17
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	781 00
Total	$506,959 88

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	13,127 61
Dividends unpaid	15 00
Deposits subject to check	405,400 86
Demand certificates of deposit	33,726 00
Cashier's checks out standing	3,578 15
Certified checks	100 00
Total	$506,959 35

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss:

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of September, 1904.

S. M. BOATWRIGHT, Notary Public.

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JOHN H. KUCK,
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Time Table No. 14

To Take Effect Thursday, Sept. 8, 1904, at 10.19 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 30	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 02	Kinston	10 13	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	9 27	9 05
7 15	7 07	Morehead City	.....	6 55
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.46 P. M No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No 42	No 48
Lv Wilmington	9 15 a m	6 50 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 16 p m	9 52 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 A m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 43 a m	9 09 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	*9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	3 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 55 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 15 p m
Ar Wilson	11 39 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 46 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	*Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 30 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 35 a m	7 30 p m	3 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 48 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 02 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	7 25 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	* Daily.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 10 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	4 50 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 59 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 55 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound *Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar 3 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 05 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

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Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

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WINTER SCHEDULE

SUBURBAN LINE.

In Effect October 17, 1904.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Wrightsville.	Leave W. Beach.
†7.00 A. M.	8 15	
10.00 A. M.		11.00 A. M.
3.03 P. M.		5.00 P. M.
*6.10 P. M.	7.50 P. M.	
*10.00 P. M. (Sat'day)	10.30 P. M. (Sat'day only)	

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†Daily except Sunday.

FREIGHT.

(Daily except Sunday)

†3.00 P. M. 5.00 P. M.

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The Morning Star

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 27.

WILL MAKE SPEECHES IN THREE STATES.

Announcements Made for Judge Parker and Grover Cleveland by the Democratic National Committee.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Judge Alton B. Parker, the Democratic candidate for president, will make three speeches in three States, according to an announcement issued by the Democratic national committee to-day. The first will be at Madison Square Garden, New York, Monday night; the second at Newark, N. J., Tuesday night, and the third at Hartford or New Haven, Conn., Thursday night. In its official announcement, the Democratic committee says:

"This series of meetings involves the appearance upon the platform for at least five nights of next week of Judge Parker or Mr. Cleveland, or both, and three States are involved in the scheme. The first meeting of the series will be held in Madison Square Garden on Monday night, under the auspices of the Parker and Davis Business Men's Association, which supervised the meeting held in Carnegie Hall a few days ago. The chairman of this meeting will be Isidor Straus, and the speakers, so far as arranged, will be Judge Parker and Hoke Smith, former secretary of the interior. The names of other speakers will be announced later.

"On Tuesday a great meeting will be held in Newark under the auspices of New Yorkers resident in New Jersey. It will be presided over by Richard V. Lindabbaury, and Judge Parker will be the principal speaker. Arrangements are under way for the appearance of a former cabinet official.

"The meeting on November 2d, in Cooper Union, will be under the auspices of the Germans of New York. The chairman of this meeting will be Carl Schurz, and Mr. Cleveland will be the principal speaker. Several prominent Germans will also take part, and all the speaking will be in that language, with the exception of the speech to be delivered by Mr. Cleveland.

"On Thursday, a meeting will be held in either Hartford or New Haven, Conn., at which Judge Parker will be the principal speaker.

On Friday, a second meeting will be held in Newark, over which Mr. Cleveland will preside, and at which the principal speaker will be James H. Eckels, former comptroller of the currency.

The Democratic national committee has announced a number of speakers for the close of the Indiana campaign including former Vice President Adlai E. Stevenson, Senator Carmack, of Tennessee, and Senator Tillman.

President J. Hamden Rodd, of the Business Men's Parker and Davis Association, wrote to Judge Parker asking him to address a meeting of the association. Judge Parker sent the following reply:

"It will give me great pleasure to accept your invitation to appear at the mass meeting to be held at Madison Square Garden on the 31st instant, under the auspices of the Business Men's Parker and Davis Association and to greet so many supporters of the cause I represent and through them to greet the great army of loyal, enthusiastic Democrats throughout the country."

Mayor Carter H. Harrison, of Chicago, spent half an hour with Judge Parker late in the afternoon. He said he had been summoned by William F. Sheehan, chairman of the executive committee, to a conference concerning the situation in Illinois. When he learned that Judge Parker is to make speeches in New York city, New Jersey and Connecticut, he said he would like to have the candidate visit Chicago, but would not make the request if the idea was contrary to the judge's wishes. After seeing Judge Parker the mayor said he did not believe Judge Parker will go West.

Judge Parker will return to Esopus at 10 A. M. to-morrow and on Friday will address a delegation from Orange county, New York.

EMBEZZLEMENT IS CHARGED.

Ohio County Treasurer Arrested—Alleged That He Was Robbed by Masked Men of $14,500 and Locked in a Vault.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

POMEROY, O., Oct. 26.—After investigating for a month a grand jury to-day indicted County Treasurer Thomas J. Chase, charging the embezzlement of $14,500 from the Meigs county treasury, on September 9th, when, he said, the treasury was looted in daylight by two masked robbers, who locked him in a vault. Chase's bond was fixed at $10,000. He was unable to furnish bail and was sent to jail.

The arrest of Chase caused no surprise in Meigs county, but there is much excitement to-night over the indictments that are expected to-morrow against other persons. The name of one of these other persons is on the lips of all, as this person has been suspected as much as Chase himself for a month.

Chase was found locked up on September 9th, by his daughter, who rushed to a bank and thence to the Fair grounds for some one who could open the vault. It was shown to the grand jury that at least half a dozen men were sitting in front of the court house all forenoon on September 9th, and that none of the men saw the robbers. The semi-annual examination of the treasurer's books was proceeding when the robbery was alleged to have taken place.

As soon as the indictment against Chase was reported, the grand jury resumed its investigation on the theory that if Chase was guilty there was at least one, probably two confederates, one to turn the combination on the vault door on the outside, and possibly another keeping watch outside of the building.

Chase comes of a good family, is 50 years old, has a wife, two sons and one daughter, the younger son being deputy treasurer. Chase is a member of the Methodist church and was never before suspected of wrong doing.

Hon. Hoke Smith, formerly a member of Cleveland's cabinet, has accepted invitations to speak at the Madison Square Democratic meeting next Monday night; also to make an address at Waterbury, Conn., on the night of November 3d.

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

CONTINUATION OF THE M'CUE TRIAL.

Former Mayor of Charlottesville, Va., Charged With Murder of His Wife.

TESTIMONY OF WITNESSES.

Dr. J. E. Early Testified to Blood Stains on the Shirt Worn by Accused the Night of Tragedy and Marks on Mrs. McCue's Throat.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Oct. 26.—Marshal Dinwiddie, the first witness called to-day in the trial of ex-Mayor J. Samuel McCue, testified that he and his wife reached the McCue home about 11:30 o'clock on the night of the tragedy. He is an uncle of the defendant by marriage.

He had seen Mr. and Mrs. McCue together at church earlier in the evening and talked with them for a moment at the gate at McCue's home after church at about 9 o'clock. When he reached the house after the tragedy Mrs. McCue was dead, and he said the accused stated that he was suffering from a blow on the head.

The defendant told him, witness testified, that he was standing at a chiffonier in his room; that his wife was on the other side at a dresser; that some one came into the room; that he first tried to get his gun, but got it only partly out when the man took it away from him. Continuing, witness said Mr. McCue said he had "been knocked senseless" and his wife shot.

The defendant seemed rational, witness said. He asked the accused before the body had been fully dressed if he desired to view the remains, the accused replying that he preferred to remember her as he saw her in life; but after the remains were placed in a coffin the defendant on the afternoon of the following day saw the remains, that being the first time to the knowledge of the witness. He heard no statement about robbery.

On cross-examination, witness said he saw no signs of strained relations between Mr. and Mrs. McCue while talking with them at the gate, and that the accused seemed distressed after the tragedy.

Charles Skinner, a negro, testified that while in his room in the servant's house in the rear of the residence adjoining that of McCue's, on the night of the tragedy, he heard crying and screaming, and said he found the sounds came from the McCue house. The voice sounded like that of a woman, he said. Later, he heard a shot. He was quite sure he saw a light up-stairs in the McCue house. He was not cross-examined.

Dr. J. E. Early reached the McCue residence after the shooting. He said he found the defendant lying on the floor of his room, face downward and crying. The witness made an examination of the defendant the next day, he said, "from head to foot" at the instance of the coroner. The wound on the neck he characterized as an abrasion, without swelling or discoloration, and said the blow that caused it was not sufficient to produce insensibility. He saw no other marks on the defendant. In his opinion Mrs. McCue dropped dead in her tracks after being shot. The wound on her ear, which he said was cut nearly in two, could have been produced by the baseball bat which was exhibited. The witness did not see the defendant's nose bleeding. He did not see a piece of cloth on the floor of the bath room, but said he did not make a close inspection of the floor.

Continuing his testimony, Dr. Early testified that there were indications that some of the blood stains on the undershirt worn by the accused on the night of the tragedy, had come in contact with water and that the wristbands had been wet. The defendant was rational, he said. In his opinion, a blow on the head sufficient to produce insensibility would have left a mark, and when his attention was directed to a contrary opinion, expressed at the coroner's inquest, he said he had given thought to the subject since and now was of the opinion stated. The accused, he said, was a man of about 168 pounds in weight while the deceased wife weighed about 115 to 125 pounds. The marks on Mrs. McCue's throat, he said, indicated that she had been choked by a left hand.

W. A. Biery, the undertaker, testified that he had washed his hands after handling the body and before handling the undershirt in evidence; that he did not see Mr. McCue until after he had placed the body in the casket, and that he observed finger-marks on Mrs. McCue's throat.

Policeman D. C. Grady answered a telephone summons on the night of September 4th to hurry to the home of ex-Mayor McCue, the person calling speaking of the robbery. He ran to the house, where he met ex-Mayor McCue, who told him that some one had nearly killed him and probably had killed his wife. The accused, he added, was holding one hand on his head and one on his breast, and complained more of the pain in his chest. Witness made a search of the house. He met Dr. McCue in the hall. Going to the bath room he said the accused was behind him, and he heard Dr. McCue tell his brother that his wife was dead, whereupon Mr. McCue exclaimed: "My Maker, who could have anything against me to do like this and kill my wife?"

Mrs. McCue's body, the witness said, had been laid out on the floor of the bath-room when he first saw it. The policeman testified that he went down stairs from the bath-room, finding the doors leading out of doors open. He also said that a window lead out on a roof, that a tree was close enough by which to go down, that a window was open in front leading out on another roof, and near which was another tree. A parlor window down stairs also was open. The witness said that Mr. McCue told him that he was undressing in his room when he heard a rattling at the door, that he looked around and saw a man whom he described as one wearing greasy and dirty clothes, as if he had been working on a railroad or tramping, and that he tried to get out his gun, but the stranger got it away from him and knocked him senseless. He said Mr. McCue was rational, but "very much out of fix." Witness thought it was the accused who telephoned the police station, but will not be certain.

W. O. Derrette, a cousin of the defendant, testified that he and Willie McCue found a piece of cloth in the bath room on the day following the shooting. Witness identified a bit of cloth which was exhibited. He said it was on the floor between the bath tub and the door, and in plain view.

Two local clothiers, Mr. Kaufman and Mr. Eddins, were called to the stand; the former testifying that the torn piece was similar to the material in the undershirt, in the gauze, and the thread seeming to be alike, but he could not say that the piece came from the shirt in evidence, the one worn by Mr. McCue the night of September 4th. Mr. Eddins thought the piece fitted, saying it appeared that a thread clinging to the torn piece had formed a part of the broken lock-stitch absent from the garment. The defence objected to this line of testimony, but was overruled.

Warren Covington, a local merchant met Mrs. McCue as he was going to church on the evening of the tragedy. He spoke, but Mrs. McCue did not look to the right or left, he said. He met Mr. McCue about two squares away going in the same direction as his wife. Witness and McCue spoke to each other.

Two aunts and a sister-in-law of the defendant occupied seats near him to-day. A large number of women occupied seats in the gallery and every bit of space about the court room was occupied. The announcement was made in court just before adjournment, at the request of the counsel, that it would be better for women to remain away to-morrow.

HOSTILE ARMIES ARE IN CLOSE CONTACT.

Both Forces Constructing Entrenchments. A Japanese Attack Expected Shortly—Outpost Skirmishing.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

GENERAL OKU'S HEADQUARTERS, VIA FUSAN, October 26.—The position of the opposing armies is unchanged. Yesterday Russian cavalry drove back a Japanese outpost on the extreme left, in turn retiring before a detachment of Japanese cavalry. Desultory artillery fire continues daily and sniping goes on between the infantry in the trenches.

Information regarding the reason for the delay in making further movements is not obtainable.

Watching Each Other.

YENTAI COAL MINES, VIA FUSAN, October 26.—The two armies remain confronting one another at close range along the entire lines. Both forces are working hard at the construction of entrenchments. On the Japanese left the artillery is exchanging bombardment.

MUKDEN, October 26.—The situation is one of great tension for the troops on both sides. General Kuropatkin and Field Marshal Oyama seem to be watching each other like hawks. It is impossible to tell which will make the first serious move. There are occasional exchanges of desultory firing at the outposts, but nothing of great importance has transpired. On Sunday night the Japanese made a feeble attempt upon Lone Tree Hill, but the attack was not pressed. The Russians used several siege guns of great range on Monday, bombarding the Japanese positions near Shakhe. The Japanese replied with Shimose shells. The Chinese say the Russian fire destroyed three Japanese field pieces.

The Japanese have evacuated Shakhe railroad station, but it and the railroad bridge between the lines are in the field of fire on both sides.

Russia's Black Sea Fleet.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Associated Press learns that while there is no foundation for the rumor which recently emanated from Constantinople that the Russian government is approaching the Sultan with the view of obtaining his consent to the passing of the Black Sea fleet through the Dardanelles, Russia is actually taking steps to sound the other continental governments as to whether any objection will be raised by them in the event of a formal request being presented by Russia to the powers jointly for the removal of the international restrictions governing the passage of the Dardanelles. It is obvious that whatever be the replies of other governments to the Russian inquiries, it would not be possible at the present juncture of affairs in the Far East for Great Britain to acquiesce in such an arrangement.

Japs' Attack Expected.

MUKDEN, Oct. 26.—The appointment of General Kuropatkin as commander-in-chief was received with universal approval. It will greatly facilitate the military operations.

A Japanese attack is now expected shortly. The Russian batteries continue to harass the Japanese. Otherwise all is quiet. The Japanese dead recently found showed by their warm clothing that the Japanese are prepared for a winter campaign, whereas the Russians have not received their winter outfits.

THE OUTLOOK IN INDIANA.

Chairman Taggart Exceedingly Hopeful for Democratic Success—Mr. Bryan Completes His Tour of State.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

HAMMOND, IND., Oct. 26.—W. J. Bryan's tour of Indiana ended here to-night, with two big meetings, Chairman Thomas Taggart joined Mr. Bryan at Logansport.

At two meetings to-day Mr. Taggart met some of the State leaders. On the train Chairman Taggart had a talk with Mr. Bryan, who has spoken in West Virginia, Ohio and Indiana, and the political situation was discussed. Chairman Taggart said he was exceedingly hopeful for Democratic success in Indiana and Mr. Bryan expressed himself as pleased with the outlook in Indiana. Mr. Taggart said:

"What I have seen in the counties and towns of Indiana that I visited to-day convinces me that Indiana is now in better condition politically than it has been for the last fifteen years. Every indication points to Democratic success in Indiana this Fall. Indications are very favorble in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Maryland and West Virginia."

In his speech here Mr. Bryan said:

"Judge Parker's election will hasten every reform in which I am interested by removing from the arena of politics the questions which now divert public attention from economic and industrial problems. President Roosevelt's election would delay every reform in which I am interested by keeping imperialism and kindred issues before the country, and no one can tell what new issues his warlike spirit may compel us to meet during the next four years.

"A victory for our national ticket will not be a victory for Parker alone. It will be a victory for me as well, because I made my canvass on imperialism four years ago and stood then where Parker stands now."

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Two Unknown Young Men Let a Train Run Over Them Near Athens, Tenn.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., October 26.—Two young men, about 21 and 22 years of age, locked in each others embrace, lay down on the tracks of the Jellico railway about four miles from Athens, Tenn., to-day and let the train run over them. At this time it is not known who the young men are. There is nothing on their persons to indicate their identity. The bodies were taken to Athens, where an inquest was begun, but adjourned until to-morrow before a verdict was rendered.

Every indication is that they are brothers and desired to commit suicide.

RUSSIAN WARSHIPS IN SPANISH PORT.

Admiral in Command Expressed Great Regret Over Firing at British Fishermen.

THOUGHT THEY WERE JAPS.

Russia's Reply to Great Britain—Regarded as Incomplete—Public Feeling in England Inflamed—Activity in Naval Circles.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MADRID, October 26.—A telegram from Vigo to the Correspondencia says:

"Officers of the Russian squadron give the following explanation of the North Sea incident: While steaming by night they saw two torpedo boats within the lines of the squadron. Supposing a Japanese attack was impending, they opened fire. They say they did not see any sailors looking like fishermen aboard the two boats fired at. The officers say they do not know if any members of the crews were wounded. They express regret at the error."

The minister of marine confirms the report of the arrival of a Russian cruiser at Villagarcia. The minister has received a telegram from the authorities at Vigo to the effect that two of the Russian battleships now there have sustained damages which will render it impossible for them to leave port within the prescribed twenty-four hours. The minister declares that he will not authorize the coaling of Russian warships in Spanish ports.

VIGO, SPAIN, Oct. 26.—The arrival of the Russian battleships Emperor Alexander III, Borodino, Orel and Kniaz Souvaroff, and the transport Anatol, which have anchored in this port, has caused considerable excitement. The commander of the port immediately boarded the Russian flagship and informed Admiral Rojestvensky that the Spanish government could not permit the warships to coal within the port. Admiral Rojestvensky replied that his vessels needed repairs, and that for that reason he had separated from the remainder of his squadron. The commander of the port promised to inform the Spanish government of the admiral's statement and communicate the government's reply as soon as it was received. In spite of this, five German colliers anchored in port alongside the battleships, whereupon the commander of the port sent an aide-de-camp to beg Admiral Rojestvensky not to violate Spanish neutrality, and he also ordered the commanding officer of the Spanish cruiser Estramadura to notify the colliers that they must obey the port authorities. Eventually, Admiral Rojestvensky promised that he would not coal in Spanish waters, at the same time begging the commander of the port to obtain the government's permission for each warship to take on four hundred tons of coal with which to reach Tangier. Shortly afterwards three colliers sailed for Tangier, but two remained alongside the Russian warships.

During the afternoon Admiral Rojestvensky, accompanied by the commanders of his battleships, visited the military governor, the French consul, and the commander of the port, receiving the usual honors.

As far as can be seen the crews of the battleships are very uneasy. Sentinels are closely watching every movement within the harbor. All four of the warships seem to be cleared for action.

It is rumored that the object of the Spanish government in requesting the Russians to remain the shortest possible time at Vigo is to prevent the possibility of attack by Japanese agents, whose presence in the province of Galicia is suspected.

VIGO, SPAIN, Oct. (Insert Russian warships in Spanish porte presence in the province of Galicia)is suspected.

It is learned that three Russians warships have anchored in Arosa bay. The government has refused them permission to coal in Spanish waters.

The Spanish warships Marques de LaVictoria and Vasco Nunez de Balboa are keeping watch along the coast.

The authorities have ordered that all fishing boats shall fly the national flag in order to avoid a repetition of the Dogger Bank incident.

The Associated Press has succeeded in obtaining an interview with Admiral Rojestvensky, who expressed great regret over the North Sea incident. The admiral stated that the unfortunate occurrence was purely accidental. The weather on the night in question was rather hazy. About 1 A. M. two torpedo boats, which the Russians supposed were Japanese craft, suddenly appeared between the two divisions of the squadron and seemed to discharge torpedoes. The Russians immediately opened fire. They saw no fishermen, and were not aware that any damage had been done. Evidently, the admiral said, the fishermen had shown no lights. The admiral repeated that he greatly regretted that any injury had been done the fishermen and added that he had no doubt the Russian government would make ample compensation.

Prince Keretelli, an officer of the battleship Emperor Alexander III, has been interviewed and gives the following explanation of the attack by the Baltic squadron upon the British trawlers off Dogger Bank:

"The transport Anatol, which was steaming ahead of the squadron, was suddenly surrounded by eight torpedo boats and requested assistance, whereupon the battleship division advanced and signalled to the unknown vessels to leave or disclose their nationality. The vessels refused to obey and advanced among the Russian battleships. Suddenly a cannon shot was heard from an unknown vessel. Then the admiral formed in battle line and replied to the fire, afterwards continuing his voyage."

Prince Keretelli added that that the Russians feared the strange torpedo boats were Japanese, as the admiral was aware that the Japanese had purchased such boats in England.

Full Reparation Promised.

LONDON, July 26.—The Russian reply to Great Britain's note on the subject of the North Sea tragedy has been received by the British government. It expresses deep regret at the occurrence and promises full reparation, so soon as an official report is received from Vice Admiral Rojestvensky.

The reply was received by Ambassador Benkendorff during the night and was forwarded to Foreign Secretary Lansdowne in the shape of a formal letter, in which the ambassador, waiting on cable instructions from St. Petersburg, gave the above assurances, adding that while the Russian government at the time of cabling was still without official knowledge from its own sources of the occurrence in the North Sea, it feels so certain it was an error that it wishes at once to express its regrets and assures the British government that full compensation will be made as soon as the details are received.

Not Satisfactory.

LONDON, October 26, 5:53 P. M.—Foreign Secretary Lansdowne considers that Russia's reply in its present form is incomplete, especially in the failure to grant Great Britain's demand for the punishment in principle of such officers as might be found responsible.

Lord Lansdowne said late this afternoon, however, that he trusted the matter would be settled within twenty-four hours.

Tension in Great Britain.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Tension increases as time passes without a definite settlement of the situation created by the Russian blunder in the North Sea. Ambassador Blenkendorff's tentative communication to Foreign Minister Lansdowne to-day and the fact that this was regarded as unsatisfactory, only served to inflame the public mind, and while official circles are giving out intimations that it is their confident belief the matter will be satisfactorily arranged, it is now quite evident that only a short time will be allowed Russia in which to give final and complete assurances of her intention to comply with any and all demands Great Britain may make in reason. The arrival of Admiral Rojestvensky at Vigo and the certainty that he is in direct communication with his government relieves at once the possibility of any delay on account of the inability of Russia to get his side of the occurrences of October 21st. With this official version before the Russian government, together with the official statement of the members of the fishing fleet, it is unlikely that the British public or the British government will allow another 24 hours to pass quietly without receiving a satisfactory reply to the note which demanded a quick answer.

Meanwhile the admiralty is not idle. Reports from all naval stations show that a tremendous state of activity exists. This is especially true of Gibraltar, from which place it is announced that some of the best of Great Britain's war vessels are under orders to proceed in the direction of the Russian Baltic squadron and that all the ships of the British Channel fleet are ready to go to sea at a moment's notice. Hitherto there has been no indication that a time limit had been set by Great Britain for Russia's reply to her demands. But the fact that three battleships and three cruisers are under orders for the morning of October 28 is construed in some quarters to mean that Great Britain will not wait longer than that date before unleashing her sea dogs, while it is also evident that the Russian cruisers and small boats of the Baltic squadron may find difficulty in passing the gateway to the East unless the crisis is completely over by the time they reach the entrance to the Mediterranean.

Information has reached the Associated Press from an authoritative source that puts a brighter light upon the situation. It is understood that practically everything has been decided upon to the satisfaction of Count Lamsdorff, the Russian foreign minister, except the question of the punishment of the officers of the Baltic squadron. It is further understood that Great Britain is not demanding final and formal written undertakings before announcing that she is satisfied, but that an undertaking in general terms on the part of Russia will be accepted as sufficient guarantee for an official announcement that the crisis has passed.

Impatient at Delay.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—At three o'clock this morning there is no sign as to when Admiral Rojenavensky's report will be made public, but if unofficial reports should turn out to reflect the admiral's official report, it is evident the Russian officers made an extraordinary blunder in mistaking trawlers for torpedo boats and firing on their phantom foes. This astonishing explanation is regarded here as not fitting ill with the state of panic suggested as having prevailed among the officers of the Baltic fleet; and in that case, it is suggested, the Russian government should find no difficulty in removing and punishing the officers responsible.

The newspapers this morning evince more heat and impatience than heretofore at Russia's delay, which is considered absolutely indefensible in the present circumstance.

The Channel Fleet.

GIBRALTAR, Oct. 26.—The ships of the channel fleet have filled their bunkers with coal and replenished their ammunition and other stores and will be ready for sea at a moment's notice. The battleship Hannibal and the cruiser Doris are watching the straits closely. There is great activity at the dock yards, where men are working night and day. The admiralty is making inquiries concerning the coal available here.

Report Received.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 26.—It is asserted on high authority that Emperor Nicholas this afternoon received Admiral Rojenavensky's report.

Ambassador Harrange has sent another note to Foreign Minister Lamsdorff, expressing his opinion that proper steps will be taken by the Russian admiralty.

At the foreign office, the fullest confidence is expressed in an amicable settlement of the incident.

WARM WIRELETS.

Martial law continues at Berkley, Va., where the negro politician Blount was taken from jail and murdered. Colonel Higgins, commanding the troops there, says they will remain as long as Mayor Allen feels there is danger of an uprising. The murderers are still unknown.

C. B. Durnett, a prominent farmer at Winder, Ga., shot and killed Young Daniel, also a farmer. It seems that Burnett had sold a farm to Daniel. Before a settlement had been and made titles passed a dispute arose that resulted in a quarrelland the shooting occurred. Both men are about 60 years old.

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City subscribers are earnestly requested to report promptly at the STAR office every failure of the carriers to deliver their papers. Under a new system we have adopted we are confident a much more satisfactory city delivery will result provided subscribers will report, either in person or by postal card, every case of negligence on the part of carriers.

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Young lady stenographer with some experience, wants position at once References given. Address Miss B., general delivery, city. oct 25 3t

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